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GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATIONS

The 3rd June 2011.

No.LR (B).51/2011/2.—In exercise of the powers conferred under rule 1 of Order XXVII of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 and in supersession of order LR.110/71/197 dated 19th January, 1992, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to authorize the following Officers to sign and verify the complaints or written statements in any suit by or against the State of Meghalaya, that is -

(a) any Secretary to the Government to Meghalaya which term shall include the Chief Secretary, Additional Chief Secretary, Principal Secretary, Commissioner & Secretary, Secretary, Deputy Secretary or Under Secretary and Officer on Special Duty;

(b) the head of a Department or circle, the Deputy Commissioner, Additional Deputy Commissioner and Sub-Divisional Officer (Civil), Director and any other Officer in charge of a District or Division so far as the subject matter of the suit relates to their respective jurisdiction.

C. D. KYNJING,

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Law Department.

The 24th May, 2011.

No.TPT.47/78/Pt.I/71.—In partial modification of this Department's Notification No.TPT.47/78/Pt.I/59, dated 28th September, 2010, and in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Road Transport Corporation Act, 1950 (Central Act LXIV of 1950 (as amended) read with Rule 3, 4 and 5 of the Meghalaya Transport Corporation Rules 1976, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to notify Shri N. S. Samant, IAS., Principal Secretary, Finance, as Director of the **Board of Directors of Meghalaya Transport Corporation** with immediate effect and until further orders.

H. MARWEIN,

Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Transport Department, Shillong.

Shillong, the 6th June, 2011.

No.PE.5/99/34:- In exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 7, Sub-rule (2) of the Indian Electricity Rules, 1956, and in supercession of Notification No.PE.5/99/25, dated 20-9-2001 the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to prescribe the following scale of fees for testing and inspection and generally for the services of an Inspector of Electricity to the Government under the Indian Electricity Act, 2003 (Act 36 of 2003) and the said Rules.

1. This order shall come into force with immediate effect.
2. In this order, the terms and expressions used shall have the same meaning as they have in the Indian Electricity Act and the Indian Electricity Rules except for the purpose of this order :-

(a). "Owner" shall include an occupier of any building place carriage or vessel in which energy is, or is about to be, generated received or used.

(b). "Initial" with reference to the inspection, examination or test of any electrical installation or apparatus shall mean an inspection, examination or test made prior to the bringing in use of such installation or apparatus but shall include in the case of any installation in which energy is used at low medium or high pressure, the first inspection examination or test made of such installation or apparatus being brought into use if such installation or apparatus was not inspected, examined or tested by an Inspector of Electricity prior to its being brought into use.

(c). "Licensee" shall include a person engaged in the business or supplying energy with the sanction of the Appropriate Commission obtained under sanction 14 of the Indian Electricity Act, including the Meghalaya Energy Corporation Limited and any Generating Companies operating in the State.

3. Subject to the following conditions fees shall be levied for testing and inspection and generally for the services of an Inspector of Electricity under the Indian Electricity Act, 2003, and the Indian Electricity Rules, 1956 from the persons and in accordance with the scales specified in the schedule :-

(1). In the case of any inspection, examination or test specified in scales A to D no fee shall be levied for a second or subsequent inspection, examination or test made within a period of twelve months from the date of a similar inspection, examination or test for which the prescribed fee has been paid unless such further inspection, examination or test is made on application or is necessary as the result of an extension or alternation of the installation or is the opinion of the Inspector of Electricity necessitated by a breach of any of the provisions of the Act or of the Rules there-under or by the neglect or failure of the licensee or owner to carry out within the stipulated time any written order of an Inspector of Electricity.

(2). In the case of any inspection, examination or test specified in scales E to M no fee shall be levied for any inspection, examination or test unless :-

(i). Such inspection, examination or test is made on application or (ii) it is established to the satisfaction of the Inspector of Electricity that the installation or apparatus inspected, examined or tested is not in accordance with the provisions of the Act or any rule there-under.

4. For all inspections or tests made and services rendered by the Inspector of Electricity at the request of the owner of licensee the prescribed fees shall be charged for and paid in advance.
5. Where the licensee or the owner reports that the installation is complete and ready for inspection, but during the inspection carried out on the basis of such report, it is found that installation is incomplete and that subsequent inspection is necessary, full fees shall be charged for each such, subsequent inspection.
6. Any addition at high pressure to an existing installation will be treated as a new installation and all such additions to high pressure installation shall be notified under rule 63 by licensee and owner to the Inspector of Electricity.
7. Except in the cases mentioned in clause "4, the fees prescribed in the schedule will be demanded by a bill by the Inspector of Electricity after the inspection, examination or test has been completed and shall be paid within thirty days from the receipt of the bill, into Government treasury or the Reserve Bank of India in the State of Meghalaya under the head -0043-Taxes & Duties on Electricity-Receipt under Electricity Rules" and Treasury receipt thereafter forwarded to the Inspector of Electricity to the Government.
8. Failure to pay the fees demanded will render the owner or Licensee liable to action under section 146 of the Indian Electricity Act, 2003, under which the fee will be recovered on application to a magistrate having a jurisdiction by the distress and sale of any movable property belonging to the owner or Licensee.

Note :- (1). Under Scale J as to the effect of distances in making special visits difficult and expensive applies mutatis mutandis to tests or visits under of the Scheduled Scales.

S H E D U L E
S C A L E - A

A.1. For an inspection, examination or test of any electrical installation or apparatus to which energy is or about to be supplied to Low Medium or High Pressure except in cases to which scale 'B' to 'K' specifically apply.

	<u>Fees for</u>	
Connected Load of Installation etc	Initial Inspection proposed Rate Rs.	Periodical Inspection
Upto & including 5 KW	50.00	
Exceeding 5 KW upto & above 10 KW	75.00	One half of the fee the fee charged for initial Inspection
Exceeding 10 KW upto & above 20 KW	100.00	
Exceeding 20 KW upto & above 50 KW	150.00	
Exceeding 50 KW upto & above 100 MW	200.00	
Exceeding 100 KW upto & including 500 KW	Rs.200/- Plus 130/- every 50 KW or part thereof in excess of 10 KW provided that if the part does not exceed 5.10 or 20 KW Rs.50/-, Rs.75/- or Rs.100/- respectively shall be charged in such excess.	
Exceeding 500 KW upto & including 1000KW	Rs. 1000/- Plus 100/- for every 50 KW or part thereof in excess of 500 KW provided that if the part does not exceed 5 or 10 KW Rs. 50/-, or Rs. 110/- respectively shall be charged in such excess.	
Exceeding 1000 KW	Rs.1000/-	
The fees shall be paid by the owner to whom energy is or as about to be supplied.		

S C A L E - 'B'

B-1 For an inspection, examination or test of any generating station or other place in which energy is, or is about to be generated at a pressure of 100 volts or more :-

Upto & including 25 KW	150.00	}	One third of the fees charged for initial inspection.
Exceeding 25 KW upto & including 50 KW	275.00	}	
Exceeding 50 KW upto & including 100 KW	350.00	}	
Exceeding 100 KW upto & including 250 KW	420.00	}	
Exceeding 250 KW upto & including 500 KW	520.00	}	
Exceeding 500 KW upto & including 750 KW	600.00	}	
Exceeding 750 KW upto & including 1000 KW	800.00	}	
Exceeding 1000 KW	1000.00	}	

B-2 for an inspection, examination or test of any transformer receiving station or other place in which energy is; or is about to be distributed at a pressure of 100 volts or more:-

Upto & including 100 KVA	120.00	}	
Exceeding 100 KVA upto but not exceeding 250 KVA.	175.00	}	
Exceeding 250 KVA upto but not exceeding 500KVA.	250.00	}	One third of the fees charged for initial inspection.
Exceeding 500 KVA upto but not exceeding 750.00 KVA	300.00	}	
Exceeding 750 KVA upto but not exceeding 1000KVA.	360.00	}	
Exceeding 1000 KVA upto & but not exceeding 5000KVA.	400.00	}	
Exceeding 5000 KVA upto but not exceeding 250 KVA	450.00	}	
About 10,000 KVA	500.00	}	

The fees shall be paid by the owner.

SCALE – 'C'

C-1 For an inspection, examination or test of any electrical installation appliances or apparatus, in any place of public entertainment, public gathering or meeting etc, to which scale does not specifically apply:-

- 1) For an inspection, examination or test of any electrical installation appliances or apparatus, other than a generating plant for which a separate fee will be charge under Scale 'B' in a Cinema, theater or other place of a public entertainment other than a traveling cinema or temporary place of public entertainment referred to in Clause(ii)

300.00	One half of the fee charged for initial inspection
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- 2) For an inspection examination or test of an electrical installation, appliance or apparatus, (other than a generating plant for which a separate fee will be charged under Scale –B) in traveling cinema or other temporary place of public entertainment or gathering.

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| a) Where the connected load does not exceed 10 KVA | 130.00 | |
| b) Where the connected load exceeds 10 KVA but does not exceed 50 KVA |) | One half of the fee charged for initial inspection. |
| c). Where the connected load exceeds 50 KVA. |) | |

The fees shall be paid by the owner.

SCALE - 'D'

D-1 for inspection, examination or test of any electrical installation, appliances or apparatus in a factory, within the meaning of the Factories Act 1948 other than a generating station or a receiving station for which a separated feed will be charged und Scale B.

(1) For lighting or for purpose other than power:

Connected load of installation.

Upto and including 1 Kilowatt

50.00

For every additional 1 Kilowatt exceeding 50 subject to a maximum

One half of the fees charged for initial Inspection

1 Kilowatt.

of Rs.300/-

(i). For power proposes : Motor etc.

Upto and including 5 Kilowatt

50.00

One Third of the fees charged for initial inspection

Exceeding 5 Kw but not exceeding 10 Kw

75.00

Exceeding 10 Kw but not exceeding 20 Kw

100.00

Exceeding 20 Kw but not exceeding 50 Kw

150.00

Exceeding 50 Kw but not exceeding 100 Kw

250.00

Exceeding 100 Kw but not exceeding 500 Kw

200 plus Rs.130 for every 50 KW in excess of 100 KW provided that if the part does not exceed 5,10 or 20,23 Rs. 100 respectively shall be charged for such excess.

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Exceeding 500 Kw but not exceeding 1000 KW

Rs. 600 plus Rs.100 for every 50 KW or part there of in excess of 500 KW provided that if the part does not exceed 5 or 10 KW Rs. 50 or Rs. 75 respectively shall be charged for such excess.

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Exceeding 1000 Kw

1000.00

The fees shall be paid by the owner.

SCALE – ‘E’

(1). For an inspection, examination or test of :-

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| (a) a high pressure service connection | 175.00 |
| (b). a medium pressure service connection | 50.00 |
| (c). a low pressure service connection | 45.00 |

(2). The fee shall be paid by the licensee or other person applying the energy,

SCALE – ‘F’

For an inspection or examination of overhead lines of different Licenses or owners approaching or crossing each other, or of any aerial lines approaching or crossing telephone or telegraph wire.

Each approach or crossing	50.00
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The fees shall be paid by the person whose line was erected.

SCALE – ‘G’

(1). For an inspection, examination or test of :

- (a). A high pressure overhead line or cable, a minimum charge of Rs. 175.00 for distance upto five kilometer and Rs. 25.00 per kilometer or part thereof beyond five kilometer and
- (b). A medium or low pressure overhead line or cable, a minimum charge of Rs. 50.00 distances of upto one kilometer and Rs. 15 per kilometer or part thereof beyond one kilometer.

The fees shall be paid by the licensee or owner thereof as the case may be

- (1). For an inspection, examination or test of a lift worked by electrical energy
Rs. 120.00
- (2). The fee shall be paid by the owner.

SCALE – 'I'

- (1). For an inspection and or issued of a certificate under Rule 82 (3) of the –Indian Electricity Rules, 1956- Rs. 130.00.
- (2). The fee shall be paid by the person who proposes either to erect a new building or structure or to make temporary addition of alteration in or upon any building or structure.

SCALE – 'J'

- (1). For testing and giving a decision on the accuracy of meter and other apparatus under Sections 55 of the Act.
- (a). For testing in the inspectorate Test
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| Room, if within the capacity of the | 50.00 |
| Test Room, Equipment a meter or other apparatus. | |
- (b). For testing in the consumers premises
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| where the test is required by the inspectorate | 75.00 |
| carried out on the consumers premises. | |

For (1) (a) and (b) the Inspector of Electricity shall decide under Rule 8 of the Indian Electricity Rules, 1956, by whom such fees shall be payable.

NOTE : (1) In deciding the capacity of meters and other apparatus for the purpose of Clause (1) of Scale J, The capacities shall be reckon as those of the shunts or the primary sides of the current transformers, where ever there are used with the meters or other apparatus. The fee shall be paid by the licensees or the owners as the case may be .

- (2) Where the Inspector of electricity is called upon to settle any dispute arising under:-
 Section 135 of the Act-Rs.100.00 per decision.
 Section 55 of the Act-Rs.50.00 per decision.
 Section 152 (1) of the Schedule to the Act-Rs.130.00 per decision.
 The fee shall be paid by the party against whom the decision is given.

NOTE :

- i). Except in Shillong, test or visits to consumers or owners premises can only be undertaken provided the parties agrees to meet the charges incurred by a special visit in addition to the test or other reference fees.
- ii). The meter will not be accepted for test unless plainly marked for identification and must be delivered at and removed from the Test Room free of cost to Government.
- iii). It is not recommended that meters be sent from distant towns. Even if found correct on arrival there is no guarantee they were correct when disconnected for transit for test nor that they will be correct when received again after test.
- iv). Government will not be responsible for any damage to any meter or any loss sustained in consequence of the time that may elapse before the test is completed.

SCALE – ‘K’

- 1). For testing any installation for insulation resistance to earth from the main terminals under Rule 52 of the Indian Electricity Rules, 1956. 50.00
- 2). Where a record of procure is taken on consumer's premises a fee of Rs. 15.00 for the first 24 hours and a further fee of Rs. 25.00 for every subsequent 24 hours during which the consumers desire the record to be taken. 50.00

SCALE – ‘L’

- 1). For an inspection, examination or test of a Low pressure installation for which no specific scale is prescribed else where in the Schedule Upto and including 2 Kilowatts, connected load Rs. 10/- for each Kilowatt about 2 Kilowatt.
 The fees shall be paid by the owner.

S C A L E - 'M'	
The scale of fees prescribed for other technical advice or supervision by the Electrical Inspectorate staff shall be :	
(1) Rupees 25.00 per hour, subject to a minimum of Rs.100.00	100.00
(2).Traveling allowance of Officers according to Government scale to be borne by the parties offering for advice.	
(3) A day shall count as six hours	
The fees prescribed under the Rule will be paid by the owner to the Receipt Head of Account "0043- Taxes and Duties on Electricity 102-Fees Under the Indian Electricity Rules (02) Inspection Fees"	

This issues with the concurrence of Finance(E) Deptt. vide their I/D No.FE.507/10, dt.28.1.2011.

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Under Secretary, to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Power Department.